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Susan,

Has EU seen this yet? Not sure if we can monitor for heavy metals. We will need an assessment of this request by the 1530 hrs call today.

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**Subject:** Same day analysis

I spoke to the administrator this morning about water monitoring. She would like some additional actions on water monitoring, to supplement the ongoing work. And we'd like these to begin this week.  
I'm writing this for Region 6, but we need to follow-up with R4 as well.

(1) Meeting with RA and state health commissioner for LA on how we coordinate shoreline monitoring by EPA and state role in beach closures, fisheries closures, etc.

(2) Deploy short-term field tests into our water monitoring work to quickly (same day) get screening level data for petroleum hydrocarbons, heavy metals, and/or other oil or dispersant parameters.

(3) Develop a cost estimate for work either by ourselves or with state assistance to collect the same day screening data at even more locations than we are touching with the more formal water sampling for laboratory analysis. (Every parish/county/large beach daily? Every 48 hrs?)

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(1) Discussion

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